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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 7173

BILL NUMBER: SB 222

NOTE PREPARED: Jan 21, 2003

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Restricted Driver's License Procedure.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Ford

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: CR Adopted - 1st House

FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL
X DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: This bill specifies that the Bureau of Motor Vehicles (BMV) is not a party in a proceeding on a petition for a restricted driving permit.

Effective Date: Upon passage.

Explanation of State Expenditures: The Attorney General's Office reports that they must defend the BMV when the BMV is a party to a restricted driving permit. This proposal will reduce the time spent by the Attorney General's Office representing the BMV. The fund affected is the state General Fund.

Background Information: The Attorney General's Office reports that there are about 100 cases per month at the trial court level in which the OAG and/or the BMV are involved where the BMV is named as a party.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

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State Agencies Affected: Attorney General's Office; Bureau of Motor Vehicles.

Local Agencies Affected:

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